CALHOUN COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 1997

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Commissioners Calhoun County Navigation District Point Comfort, Texas

We have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of Calhoun County Navigation District as of and for the year ended June 30, 1997. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of Calhoun County Navigation District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the general purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the general purpose financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall general purpose financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the general purpose financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Calhoun County Navigation District as of June 30, 1997, and the results of its operations for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

In accordance with <u>Government Auditing Standards</u>, we have also issued a report dated September 18, 1997, on our consideration of Calhoun County Navigation District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants.

Board of Commissioners
Calhoun County Navigation District

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements of Calhoun County Navigation District, taken as a whole. The supplemental information listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the general purpose financial statements. Such information, except for the Schedule of Principal Taxpayers - Tax Year 1997, the Schedule of Insurance Coverage, and the Cargo Traffic Statistics which are marked "unaudited", has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as whole.

Roloff, Hnatch and Co., L.L.P.

Certified Public Accountants

September 18, 1997

COMBINED BALANCE SHEET - ALL FUND TYPES AND ACCOUNT GROUPS

JUNE 30, 1997

ASSETS	General	Governmental Fund Types Capital General Projects	Account Group General Fixed Assets	Totals (Memo Only) Reporting Entity	Totals (Memo Only) Primary Government
Cash Property Taxes Receivable Accounts Receivable Prepaid Expenses Deferred Compensation Plan Fixed Assets	\$ 4,920,197 24,307 232,209 7,617 111,456	\$ 15,955 -0- 38,414 -0- -0-	\$ -0- -0- -0- -0- 81,940,433	\$ 4,936,152 24,307 270,623 7,617 111,456 81,940,433	\$ 4,930,739 24,307 270,623 7,617 111,456 81,940,433
Total Assets	\$ 5,295,786	\$ 54,369	\$ 81,940,433	\$ 87,290,588	\$ 87,285,175
LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY					
Accounts Payable Deferred Property Tax Revenues Deferred Lease Revenues Deferred Compensation Plan	\$ 85,470 24,307 228,478 111,456	\$ 38,414 -0- -0-	8	\$ 123,884 24,307 228,478 111,456	\$ 123,884 24,307 228,478 111,456
Total Liabilities	449,711	38,414	70	488,125	488,125
Investment in General Fixed AssetsFund Balances	-0-	-0-	81,940,433	81,940,433	81,940,433
Designated for Construction Undesignated	-0- 4,846,075	15,955	0-0-	15,955	15,955
Total Fund Equity	4.846.075	15,955	81,940,433	86,802,463	86,797,050
Total Liabilities and Fund Equity	\$ 5,295,786	\$ 54,369	\$ 81,940,433	\$ 87,290,588	\$ 87,285,175

I The accompanying notes are an integral part of this general purpose financial statement.

COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1997

	G	_	al I	Fund Types Capital	•	Totals Iemo Only) Reporting	` `	Totals Iemo Only) Primary
Revenues:		General	-	Projects		Entity	G	<u>overnment</u>
Harbor Operating Income	\$	1,588,952	\$	-0-	\$	1,588,952	\$	1 500 050
Non-Harbor Operating Income	_	194,428	Ψ	-0-	Φ	1,388,932	φ	1,588,952
Taxes		213,626		-0-		213,626		194,428
Interest		238,799		1,821		240,620		213,626
Reimbursements		56,607		265,274		240,020 321,881		240,351
Total Revenues		2,292,412	_	267,095		2,559,507	_	321,881 2,559,238
Expenditures:								
Administrative:								
Personnel Costs		154,757		-0-		154,757		154 757
Other Expenses		124,684		23		124,707		154,757
Operations		138,609		-0-		138,609		124,707
Maintenance Costs		183,909		-0-		183,909		138,609 183,909
Security		32,944		-0-		32,944		32,944
Utilities		190,421		-0-		190,421		190,421
Insurance		44,774		-0-		44,774		190,421 44,774
Capital Expenditures		927,403		260,637		1,188,040		1,188,040
Other		77,113		0-		77,113		77,113
Total Expenditures		1,874,614		260,660		2,135,274		2,135,274
Excess of Revenues Over								
Expenditures		417,798		6,435		424,233		423,964
Other Financing Sources (Uses):								
Operating Transfers In		150,000		-0-		150,000		150,000
Operating Transfers Out		(150,000)				(150,000)		(150,000)
Total Other Sources (Uses) .		-0-		-0-		<u>-0-</u>		<u>-0-</u>
Excess of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures								
and Other Uses		417,798		6,435		424,233		423,964
Fund Balance - July 1		<u>4,428,277</u>		9,520		<u>4,437,797</u>		4,432,653
Fund Balance - June 30	\$	4 <u>,846,075</u>	\$	<u> 15,955</u>	\$	4,862,030	\$ ·	4,856,617

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this general purpose financial statement.

COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL - ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1997

		General Fund		Ü	Capital Projects Fund	
ţ	Budget	Actual	Variance	Budget	Actual	Variance
Kevenues:						
Harbor Operating Income	\$ 1,286,750	\$ 1,588,952	\$ 302,202	-0- \$	9	-0-
Non-Harbor Operating Income	124,870	194,428	69,558	-0	o o	o o
Taxes	215,616	213,626	(1,990)	-0-	Ô	0
Interest	196,000	238,799	42,799	0	1.821	1.821
Reimbursements	o o	56,607	56,607	-0-	265,274	265 274
Total Revenues	1,823,236	2,292,412	469,176	-0-	267,095	267,095
Expenditures:						
Administrative:						
Personnel Costs	168,614	154,757	13,857	0-	þ	-0-
Other Expenses	132,600	127,085	5,515	0	23	(23)
Operations	174,477	182,211	(7,734)	oʻ	φ)
Maintenance Costs	195,283	183,909	11,374	9	0	0
Security	24,000	32,944	(8,944)	-	o o	o
Utilities	120,000	190,421	(70,421)	0-	0	.
Insurance	44,000	44,774	(774)	º	0	· •
Capital Expenditures	928,305	927,403	905	-0-	260.637	(260.637)
Other	34,500	31,110	3,390	0	, o	(-0;)
Total Expenditures	1,821,779	1,874,614	(52,835)	-0-	260,660	(260,660)
Expenditures	1,457	417 798	416 341	ن ا	6.435	3 CV 3
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-0-	O	6,435	9,520	15,955
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0 0	-0-	0 -	-0-	-0-
(30,000)	-0-	416,341	-0-	\$ 416,341
150,000 (150,000)	-0-	417,798	4,428,277	\$ 4,846,075
180,000	-0-	1,457	4,428,277	\$ 4,429,734
Other Financing Sources (Uses): Operating Transfers In	Total Other Sources (Uses)	Excess of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	Fund Balance - July 1	Fund Balance - June 30

NOTES TO GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 1997

Note 1: Reporting Entity

Calhoun County Navigation District (the District) was created as a conservation and reclamation district pursuant to Article XVI, Section 59 of the Texas Constitution by Chapter 195, Acts of the 53rd Texas Legislature, Regular Session, 1953. The District operates under a Board of Commissioners/Port Director form of government and provides and maintains port facilities for shipping purposes.

The District was organized to facilitate the construction of a deep water navigation channel from the Gulf of Mexico to the Point Comfort, Calhoun County, Texas, dock facilities and turning basin. The District has patents to all lands upon which the channels and jetties are situated; however, the United States Army Corps of Engineers has control over the use and maintenance of the jetties.

The District, for financial purposes, includes all of the funds and account groups relevant to the operations of Calhoun County Navigation District. The District's Commissioners are elected by the public and have the legal authority to govern, assess taxes and designate management. The District is financially independent with respect to any other subdivision, political or otherwise.

The General Fund of the District's financial statements include the accounts of Calhoun County Navigation Industrial Development Authority (the Authority), a non-profit industrial development corporation organized under the Development Corporation Act of 1979. The District's Board of Commissioners and port director also serve as the Board for the Authority, which gives the District oversight responsibilities with respect to the Authority. The Authority is considered a component unit of the District under the criteria of GASB Codification Section 2100.

Note 2: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The accounting and reporting policies of the District conform to generally accepted accounting principles, as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of such significant policies:

Fund Accounting and Fund Types

The accounting of the District is organized on the basis of funds or account groups, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund balance, revenue and expenditures. The various funds and account groups are summarized by type in the combined financial statements. The following fund types and account groups are used by the District:

NOTES TO GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 1997

Note 2: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Governmental Fund Types

General Fund - The General Fund is used to account for all financial resources except for those accounted for in another fund. This is a budgeted fund and any fund balance is considered available for use.

Capital Projects Fund - The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds, if any).

Account Groups

The account groups are not "funds". They are concerned only with the measurement of financial position. They are not involved with measurement of results of operations.

General Fixed Assets - The fixed assets of the District, including land, docks, wharves, warehouses and other port facilities, are accounted for in the General Fixed Assets Account Group. No depreciation has been provided on general fixed assets.

Basis of Accounting

The modified accrual basis of accounting is followed by the governmental fund types. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recorded when susceptible to accrual; i.e, both measurable and available. Available means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Expenditures are recorded when the liability is incurred, if measurable, except for unmatured interest on general long-term debt, if any, which is recognized when due.

Budgets

Budgets, as approved by the Board of Commissioners, are presented in the accompanying combined financial statements for the governmental fund types. Each budget is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting which is consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.

In the General Fund, formal budgetary integration is employed during the year as a financial information tool for management.

NOTES TO GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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Note 2: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Concluded)

Interfund Transactions

Operating transfers represent authorized transfers from the fund receiving resources to the fund through which the resources are to be expended.

General Fixed Assets

All fixed assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available. Donated fixed assets are valued at their estimated fair value on the date donated.

The cost of the general fixed assets includes costs associated with the creation of the District, the sale of bonds, and the construction of facilities including infrastructure (immovable) assets which are of value only to the District. Repairs are not capitalized, and replacement of general fixed assets are capitalized only to the extent that they materially exceed the cost of the original assets. Depreciation is not recorded on general fixed assets.

Property Taxes

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of the due date, January 1. Taxes were levied on October 1, 1995, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1997. The tax rate was set at \$.0276 per \$100 valuation with an assessment ratio of 100% on an assessed value of \$780,120,043. Taxes are billed and collected by the Calhoun County Tax Assessor and Collector.

Property tax revenues are recognized when levied to the extent that they result in current receivables. Property taxes which have been levied but are not yet available (uncollected) are recorded as deferred property taxes.

Totals Columns on Combined Statements

The totals columns on the combined statements are presented only to facilitate financial analysis and are captioned "Memo Only" as the data in these columns do not present financial position or results of operations in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, neither is such data comparable to a consolidation. The totals column labeled "Primary Government" excludes the accounts of the District's component unit, Calhoun County Navigation Industrial Development Authority.

NOTES TO GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 1997

Note 3: Cash and Temporary Investments

As of June 30, 1997, the carrying amount of the District's deposits was \$4,936,152 and the bank balance was \$4,942,438. The District's depository bank, First National Bank, Port Lavaca, pledges securities as collateral for the District's deposits. The amount of the District's deposits covered by a combination of collateral and federal depository insurance at June 30, 1997, was as follows:

Securities Pledged As	
Collateral (at Market Value)	\$ 4,978,748
Federal Depository Insurance	100,000
Total Coverage	\$ 5,078,748

Accordingly, all of the District's deposits were covered by insurance or collateral at June 30, 1997.

Note 4: Changes in General Fixed Assets

The following is a summary of changes in general fixed assets:

	Balance 07-01-96	Additions	Balance 06-30-97
Channel and Jetties	\$ 30,592,189	\$ -0-	\$ 30,592,189
Dredging and Drainage	5,961,786	576,533	6,538,319
Roads and Paving	47,102	-0-	47,102
Wharves and Docks	36,361,996	299,740	36,661,736
Utility Lines	11,738	12,452	24,190
Bulkheading and Erosion Control	5,189,657	-0-	5,189,657
Tank Farm	-0-	95,846	95,846
Office Buildings and Additions	1,716,238	185,760	1,901,998
Land	358,516	-0-	358,516
Warehouse and Additions	190,894	6,000	196,894
Scales	27,502	-0-	27,502
Conveyors	58,476	-0-	58,476
Equipment - Other	236,300	11,708	248,008
Total	<u>\$ 80,752,394</u>	<u>\$ 1,188,039</u>	<u>\$81,940,433</u>

NOTES TO GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 1997

Note 5: Revenue Bonds Issued on Behalf of Others

Calhoun County Navigation Industrial Development Authority (the Authority) has assisted industries within the district by issuing revenue bonds on their behalf (see Note 1). For each of these bond issues, the Authority acted as an issuing conduit so that the user of the bond proceeds benefited from reduced debt service requirements. The users of the bond proceeds pledge their credit, bear sole responsibility for all debt service, make all payments directly to the trustee, and completely indemnify the Authority and the District for any costs incurred. Therefore, these bonds do not constitute indebtedness of the Authority or the District and are not reported in the District's financial statements.

Revenue bonds outstanding at June 30, 1997, are as follows:

		T. F	Effective		Outstanding
Series	Issue Date	MaturityDate	Interest Rate	Original Amount	at 06-30-97
Pollution	Control Revenue	Bonds (Formosa	Plastics Corpo	ration, Texas Proj	ect)
1982	12-01-82	11-15-97	Variable	\$ 7,390,000	\$ 2,032,250
Pollution	Control Variable	Rate Demand Re	funding Revenu	ie Bonds (Alcoa F	roject)
1995	12-01-95	06-01-01	Variable	\$ 7,700,000	\$ 7,700,000
Port Reve	enue Bonds (Form	nosa Plastics Corp	oration, Texas	Project)	
1994	10-01-94	11-01-15	Variable	\$48,500,000	\$48,500,000

Note 6: Lawsuits

At June 30, 1997, there was no litigation or other pending legal matters in which the Calhoun County Navigation District was a defendant.

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Note 7: Operating Leases

The District leases property to several entities under operating leases expiring in various years through 2022. At June 30, 1997, minimum future rentals expected to be received are as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	Amount
1998	\$ 131,474
1999	118,900
2000	95,972
2001	93,696
2002	92,242
Thereafter	343,311
Total	<u>\$ 875,595</u>

Total revenue from operating leases for the year ended June 30, 1997 was \$154,916.

Note 8: Deferred Compensation Plan

The District offers its employees a deferred compensation plan created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457. The plan, available to all District employees, permits them to defer a portion of their salaries until future years. The deferred compensation is not available to employees until termination, retirement, or unforeseeable emergency. The deferred compensation is available to employees' beneficiaries in the case of death.

NOTES TO GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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Note 8: Deferred Compensation Plan (Concluded)

All amounts of compensation deferred under the plan, all property and rights purchased with those amounts, and all income attributable to those amounts, property or rights are (until paid or made available to the employee or other beneficiary) solely the property and rights of the District (without being restricted to the provisions of benefits under the plan), subject only to the claims of the District's general creditors. Participants' rights under the plan are equal to those of general creditors of the District in an amount equal to the fair market value of the deferred account for each participant.

From the inception of the plan in 1991 through December 31, 1994, the plan document did not allow the District to make contributions to the plan. However, in January 1995, the Board voted unanimously to amend the plan. Effective January 1, 1995, the District contributes to the plan on behalf of all eligible employees and board members.

Eligibility of employees for District contributions to the plan will be one year of full-time, uninterrupted employment. The contribution rates for employees are as follows:

Years of Employment	% of Base Annual Salary Contributed
One	1.67%
Two	3.33%
Three or More	5.00%

Board members are eligible for District contributions to the plan upon commencement of their elected terms. District contributions to the plan on behalf of board members are fixed at \$100 per month per member.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 1997, the District contributed \$15,593 to the plan.

In management's opinion, the District has no liability for losses under the plan. However, the District does have the duty of due care that would be required of an ordinary prudent investor. The District believes it is unlikely that it will use the assets to satisfy the claims of general creditors in the future.

All assets of the Plan are held by an independent administrator. Plan assets amounted to \$111,456 at June 30, 1997.

Note 9: Compensated Absences

District employees are not paid for unused sick days upon termination. The amount of vacation pay due to employees as of June 30, 1997, is immaterial to the general-purpose financial statements taken as a whole. Consequently, no liability has been accrued for compensated absences.

GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

JUNE 30, 1997

Accrued (Deferred)	Revenue	at 6-30-97
		Disbursements
		Receipts
Accrued (Deferred)	Revenue	at 07-01-96
Program	or Award	Amount
Pass-Through	Grantor's	Number
Federal	CFDA	Number
	Federal Grantor/Pass-Through	Grantor/Program Title

The district received no federal financial assistance for the year ended June 30, 1997.

SCHEDULE OF PRINCIPAL TAXPAYERS

TAX YEAR 1997

-UNAUDITED-

d Percent (%) of Total Assessed Valuation	1 19.82 % 2 1.05		0 0.48	0 2 3.64	0 2.05	_,	_	_	_		2 0.42				_,			0.35	6 61.33 %
1997 Assessed Value (Excluding Abatement Value)	\$ 154,584,151 8,212,262	219,575,526	3,721,700	28.361.942	15,975,080	8,184,992	4,868,090	3,840,450	3,705,730	3,473,657	3,314,322	3,343,020	3,129,695	2,897,197	2,771,662	2,765,414	2,763,866	2.722.72	\$ 478,346,996
Abatements	\$ 928,123,300 232,985,600	8,517,683	125,339,800	110,539,100	¢	o '	-	-	¢	¢	63,245	¢	-	ġ.	¢	¢	¢	-0-	\$ 1,405,760,468
Market Value	\$ 1,082,707,451 241,197,862	228,093,209	129,061,500	28,553,682	15,975,080	8,184,992	4,868,090	3,840,450	3,705,730	3,473,657	3,377,567	3,343,020	3,129,695	2,897,197	2,771,662	2,765,414	2,763,866	2,722,720	\$ 1,884,107,464
Prior Year's <u>Ranking</u>	7 7	ω.	4 4	9	7	∞	6	12	16	Ξ	13	NA	14	20	N/A	15	18	10	
Type of Business	Chemical Manufacturer Chemical Manufacturer Aluminum/Chemical	Manufacturer	Chemical Manufacturer	Filvate Cully Company Electrical Utility Company	Natural Gas Company	Communications Company	Natural Gas Production Company	Petroleum Pipeline Company	Petroleum Exploration Company	Chemical Manufacturer	Marine Construction Company	Natural Gas Company	Retail Shopping Center	Construction Company	Banking Corporation	Retail Shopping Mall	Banking Corporation	Petroleum Pipeline Company	
Тахрауст	 Formosa Plastics Corp., Texas Formosa Plastics Corp., America Aluminum Company of America 		4 Inally Flashes Corporation 5 Formose Hillity Venture I DT	6 Central Power and Light Co.	7 Neumin Production Company	8 GTE Southwest, Incorporated	9 Channel Industries Gas Co.	10 Seadrift Pipeline Company	11 American Exploration Co.	12 Formosa Plastics Development	13 King Fisher Marine Service, Inc.	14 Exxon Corporation	15 Wal-Mart, Inc.	16 Rexco, Inc.	17 International Bank of Commerce	18 Caltim, Ltd.	19 First National Bank	20 Northern Natural Gas Co.	Totals

Total 1997 Assessed Valuation = \$780,106,243

Source: Calhoun County Appraisal District

SCHEDULE OF INSURANCE COVERAGE

JUNE 30, 1997

-UNAUDITED-

					
Type of <u>Coverage</u>	Carrier	Policy Period From To		Amount of Coverage	Amount of Deductible
Workers Compensation	Texas Municipal League	11-20-96	10-01-97	Statutory Limit	N/A
General Liability	Texas Municipal League	11-20-96	10-01-97	\$1,000,000	\$5,000
Errors and Omissions	Texas Municipal League	11-20-96	10-01-97	\$500,000	\$5,000
Automobile	Texas Municipal League	10-01-96	10-01-97	\$500,000	\$5,000
Fire and Lightning	Trinity Universal	08-01-96	08-01-97	\$2,204,000	\$100
Equipment	Trinity Universal	09-14-96	09-14-97	\$59,854	\$1,000/250
Commercial Inland Marine	Highlands	05-04-97	05-04-98	\$873,825	\$1,000/2,500
Public Weigher Bond	Old Republic Surety	06-29-97	06-27-99	2 @ \$2,500	N/A
Customs Bond	Fidelity & Deposit Co.	08-21-96	Continuous	\$100,000	N/A
Official Bond and Oath	Western Surety Old Republic Surety	05-06-96	Continuous	3 @ \$1,000 3 @ \$1,000	N/A N/A
Windstorm and Hail	TCPIA	08-09-96	08-09-97	\$2,346,000	\$100
Notary Public Bonds	Old Republic Surety	09-28-96	Continuous	2 @ \$2,500	N/A
Fidelity Bond	Colonial American Casualty	08-01-94	Continuous	\$100,000	\$1,000

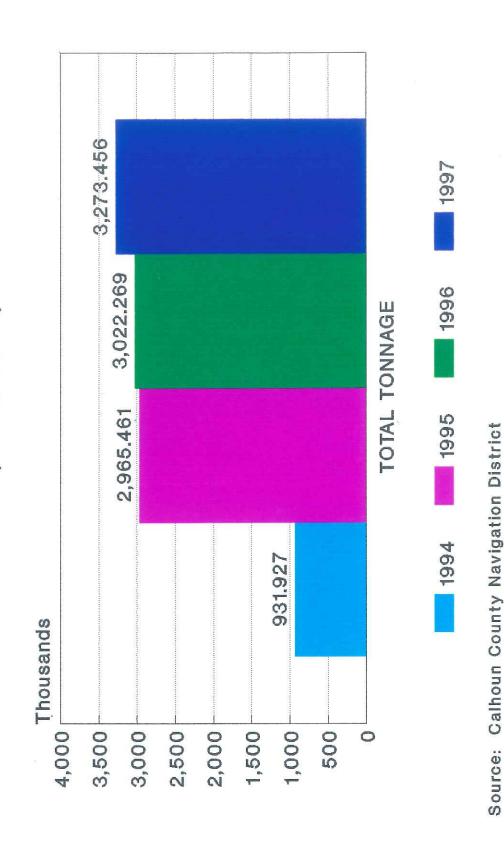
CARGO TRAFFIC STATISTICS

YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 1997, 1996, AND 1995

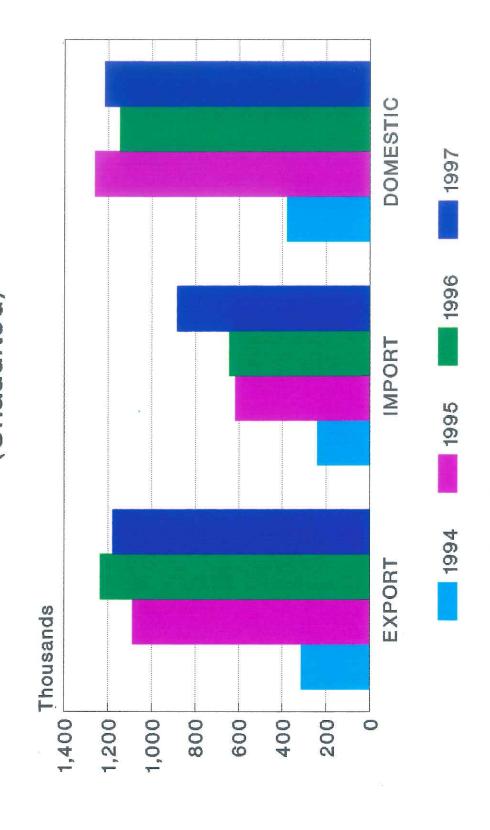
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	1997		1996		1995	
	Tonnage	Port	Tonnage	Port Percentage	Tonnage	Port Percentage
Break Bulk Cargo Liquid Bulk Cargo Dry Bulk Cargo	139.2 3,035,395.3 237,920.9	0,004 % 92,728 7,268	3,094.0 2,890,731.8 128,085.8	.102 % 95.659 4.238	7,245.4 2,807,684.1 139,553.4	0.244 % 94.680 4.706
Other	0.0	0.000	<u>356.9</u>	0.001	10,978.1	370
Totals	<u>3,273,455.4</u>	100.000 %	<u>3,022,268.5</u>	<u>100,000 %</u>	<u>2,965,461.0</u>	100,000 %
Tonnage/Percent Export Tonnage/Percent Import Tonnage/Percent Domestic	1,177,022.7 881,406.7 1,215,026.0	35.957 % 26.926 37.117	1,233,237.1 643,421.4 1,145,610.0	40.805 % 21.289 37.906	1,088,035.1 616,944.0 1,260,481.9	36.690 % 20.804 42.506
Totals	<u>3,273,455.4</u>	<u>100.000 %</u>	<u>3,022,268.5</u>	<u>100.000 %</u>	<u>2,965,461.0</u>	100,000 %
		<u>1997</u>	<u>1996</u>	<u>1995</u>		
Ships		125	125	103		
Barges		<u> 588</u>	_560	<u>527</u>		
Total		<u>713</u>	<u>685</u>	<u>630</u>		

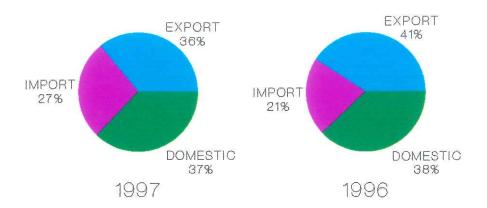
CALHOUN COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT TOTAL TONNAGE BY YEAR (Unaudited)



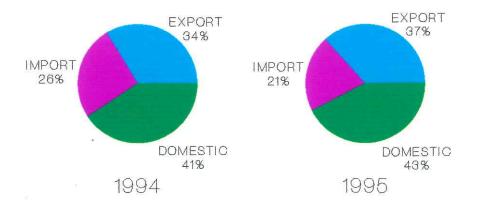
CALHOUN COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT TONNAGE BY CATEGORY (Unaudited)



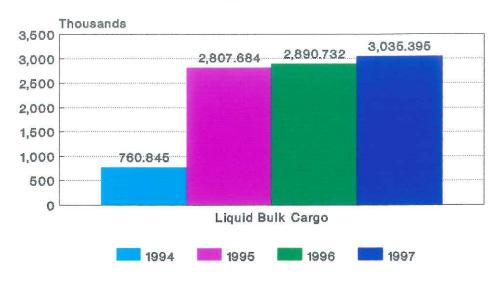
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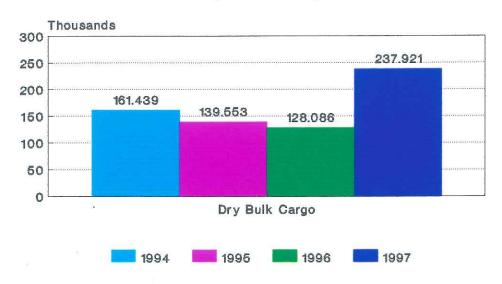


Calhoun County Navigation District Liquid Bulk Cargo In Tons (Unaudited)



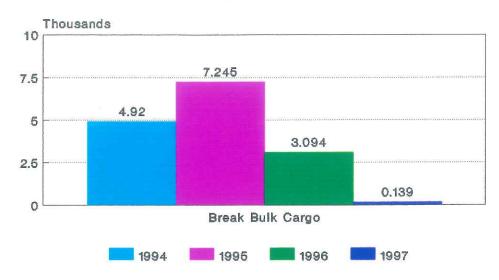
Liquid bulk cargo comprised 81.64%, 94.68%, 95.65%, and 92.73% of total tonnage in 1994, 1995, 1996 and 1997

Calhoun County Navigation District Dry Bulk Cargo In Tons (Unaudited)



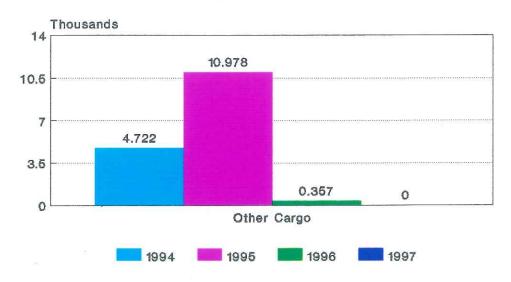
Dry bulk cargo comprised 17.32%, 4.71%, 4.24%, and 7.27% of total tonnage in 1994, 1995, 1996 and 1997 respectively.

Calhoun County Navigation District Break Bulk Cargo In Tons (Unaudited)



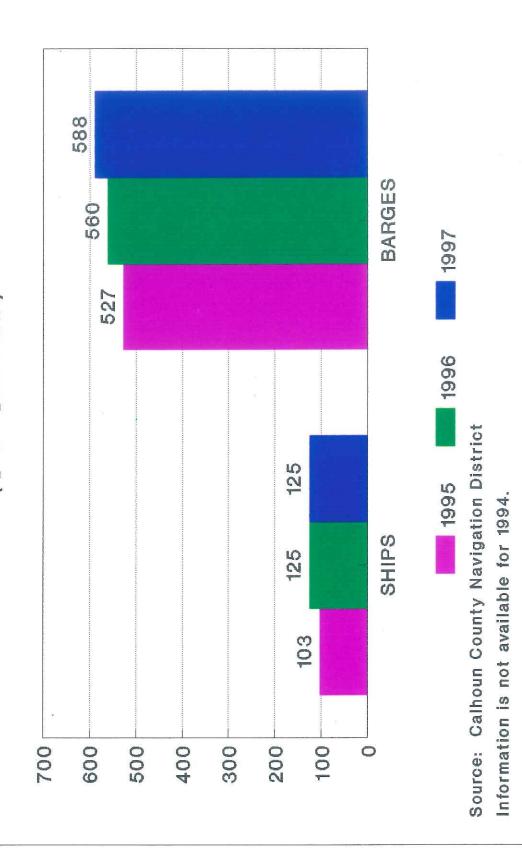
Break bulk cargo comprised .53%, .24%, .10% and .00% of total tonnage in 1994, 1995, 1996 and 1997 respectively.

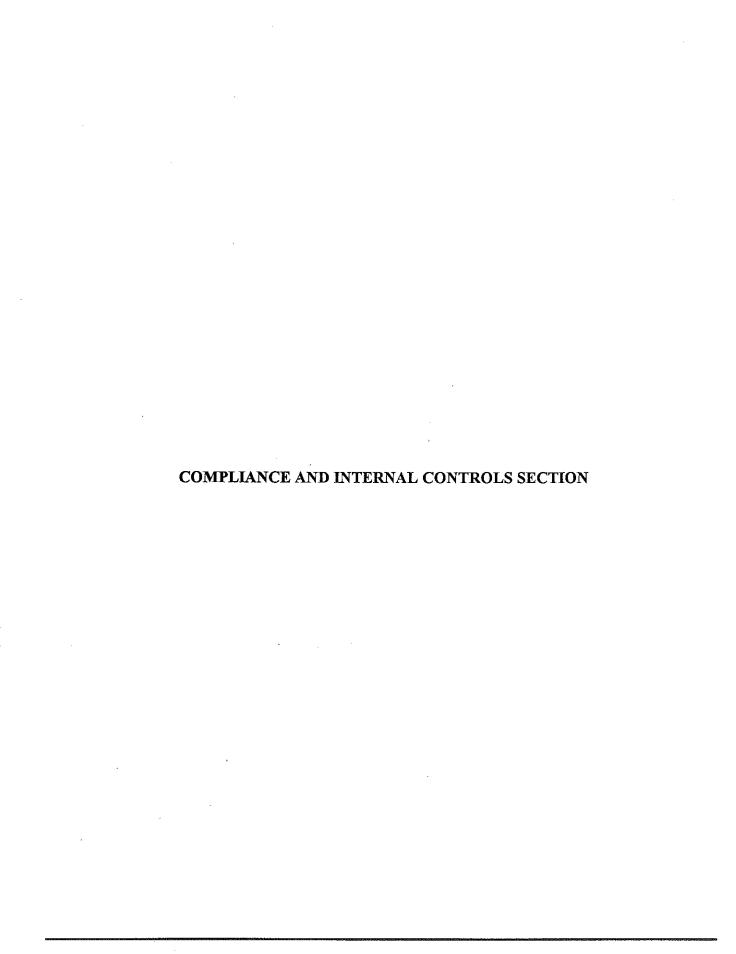
Calhoun County Navigation District Other Cargo In Tons (Unaudited)



Other cargo comprised .51%, .37%, .01% and .00% of total tonnage in 1994, 1995, 1996 and 1997 respectively.

CALHOUN COUNTY NAVIGATION DISTRICT NUMBER OF VESSELS (UNAUDITED)







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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE
AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING
BASED ON AN AUDIT OF GENERAL PURPOSE
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH
GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Commissioners Calhoun County Navigation District Point Comfort, Texas

We have audited the financial statements of Calhoun County Navigation District as of and for the year ended June 30, 1997, and have issued our report thereon dated September 18, 1997. We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Calhoun County Navigation District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Calhoun County Navigation District's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. However, we noted a matter involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be a reportable condition. Reportable conditions involve matters coming to our attention relating to significant deficiencies in the design or operation of the internal control over financial reporting that, in our judgment, could adversely affect Calhoun County Navigation District's ability to record, process, summarize, and report financial data consistent with the assertions of management in the financial statements. The reportable condition is described below.

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REPORTABLE CONDITION - CURRENT YEAR

FIXED ASSETS

Finding: The District does not yet have a complete detailed listing or inventory of fixed assets. District personnel began this project during fiscal year 1997, and significant progress has been made. It is anticipated that this project will be completed in fiscal year 1998.

Recommendation: In order to properly account for and safeguard all fixed assets, the District should complete, and then maintain, the detailed listing of all fixed assets. Each asset should be recorded at its historical cost. However, if historical cost cannot be determined for an asset(s), the asset(s) should be recorded at estimated cost.

REPORTABLE CONDITIONS - PRIOR YEAR

There were two reportable conditions noted last year. The status of these two items is as follows:

Cash in Bank

At June 30, 1996, the District's deposits in its depository bank were not entirely covered by either FDIC insurance or securities pledged by the bank. This situation was rectified immediately with the District's depository bank. The District's accountant now monitors the bank's pledged securities on a monthly basis. At June 30, 1997, the District's deposits in its depository bank were covered by either FDIC insurance or securities pledged.

Fixed Assets

Refer to the reportable condition - current year above for the status of this item.

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A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be reportable conditions and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all reportable conditions that are also considered to be material weaknesses. However, we believe the reportable condition described above is not a material weakness.

This report is intended for the information of the Board of Commissioners, management, and the Texas Water Commission. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

Certified Public Accountants

Roloff, Hnatch and Co., L.L.P.

September 18, 1997